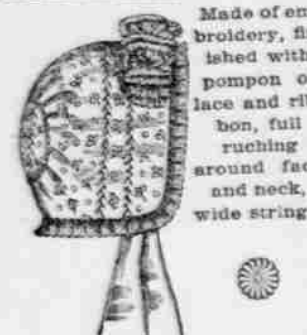


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The Popular Actress Wedded to a Wealthy West Virginian.

SHE WILL LEAVE THE STAGE

Washington Real Estate as a Wedding Gift—The Husband Is Rezin D. Shepherd—Bride and Groom Will Tour Through Europe—Now in Shepherdstown.

New York, April 28.—The persistent rumors which have had to do with the retirement of Miss Odette Tyler from the stage have developed at last into something tangible. Miss Tyler has followed in the footsteps of Miss Amy Basy, who was associated with her in the long run of "Secret Service" last winter, and has been married.

The fact of the marriage has been kept from publicity for some time, but in a few days the following card will be sent out to her friends and to some of the leading personages of Virginia:

GENERAL WILLIAM W. KIRKLAND has the honor to announce the marriage of his daughter, ELIZABETH LEE,

to MR. REZIN DAVIS SHEPHERD, of Shepherdstown, W. Va., on Thursday, April the first, Eighteen hundred and ninety-seven, at New York.

The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Rudenick Terry, at his residence, No. 169 Madison avenue, at 7:30 o'clock.

Gen. Kirkland and Mrs. C. J. Hatch, an intimate friend of Miss Tyler, were the only ones present besides the contracting parties. The bride was attended in a traveling gown of blue broadcloth, and wore a black velvet picture hat.

Immediately after the ceremony the couple drove to the Savoy, where there was a quiet wedding supper. Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd remained at the Savoy several days, after which Mrs. Shepherd returned to Boston, where she again took up her work in "Secret Service."

Mr. Shepherd's present to his bride was a Russian saddle and a turnout and span of horses. He has just been buying three houses in Washington, D. C., which are to be made over to her. Mr. Shepherd's only gift was a point lace shawl, which is a family heirloom. Gen. Kirkland's gift to his daughter consisted entirely of silver.

In Mrs. Shepherd's trousseau a most striking costume was a traveling gown of dark blue French serge. The skirt, over a loose lining of pink silk, had ten tiny ruffles of white satin and black velvet, alternating. The blouse of pink silk was tufted and corded. The bolero had the same ruffling as the skirt, and was lined with white satin. The hat to be worn with that costume was made of purple velvet, with snow bells and crimson roses.

Another was an evening gown of pink silk under black Brussels net, with tulle of black lace headed with tiny ruffles of Irish point. The waist was pink, with a front blouse of white tulle chiffon, over which fell a beatha of exquisite Irish point. The sleeves, which were long, had exquisite Irish point. The grille was of white satin. A sash falling the full length of the skirt was of white tulle, and had elaborate ends of Irish point insertion between rows of fine tulle.

Mrs. Shepherd came from a first family of Virginia, and she claims kinship with the most prominent people in the Old Dominion. Her father, Gen. Kirkland, had command of a division in the Confederate army of northern Virginia. One of her uncles is Gen. Hardee, author of the Tactics.

Although of Southern birth, the North has been her adopted country, and she has spent much of her time here. She was educated in private schools in New York, and went on the stage at an early age, where she met with a success that pronounced the future she has now realized.

Mrs. Shepherd is a most charming and graceful woman. She easily won her way into the hearts of the public by her originality, an exquisite sense of humor, and an absolute lack of affectation. On the stage or off her mannerisms are much the same. She is devoted to Southern customs, and clings to all the traditions of the South. Her representation of the Southern girl, especially in "Secret Service," have won her many admirers.

Her engagement with Howard Gould some time ago created a great deal of talk. It seemed almost certain that she would marry the young millionaire, but she was said to have finally refused to carry out the agreement for reasons of her own.

About a year ago she made her first literary venture in a romance called "Boss, the Virginian." Her second book, "Between Two Angels," is nearing completion. Mr. Rezin Shepherd is also one of the members of a Virginia first family. He is the son of the late Henry Shepherd, of Shepherdstown.

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Set aside for twenty-four hours a bottle or common glass filled with urine. A sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen it is positive evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate or pain in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

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There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. KIDNEY'S SWAMP-ROOT, the great kidney remedy, relieves every wish in relieving pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder, and every part of the urinary passages. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists; price fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet, both sent free by mail. Mention The Washington Times and send your address to Dr. KIDNEY & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

DIED.

BEATTY—On Tuesday, April 27, 1897, at 6:30 p. m., Dr. H. W. BEATTY, after a short illness. Residence, 631 Second street Northwest.
Notice of funeral hereafter.

WHITNEY—On Thursday, April 27, 1897, at 2:50 a. m., THURSDAY A. WHITNEY (nee Davis), wife of A. C. Whitney. Funeral (private) from her late residence on Thursday, April 29, at 3 p. m. Friends kindly omit flowers.

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DR. HOBBS

Second Challenge to the Citizens of Washington Which Appeared in This Paper Yesterday Creates Another

TREMENDOUS SENSATION

And Thoroughly Arouses the Public.



JULIUS HOBBS, M. D.

As a result of the announcement made by this paper yesterday, that Dr. Hobbs would again give away to any of our readers who would write to or call at the Drug Store of Henry Evans, 938 F street northwest, and Connecticut avenue and S street northwest, tomorrow for a free sample of Dr. Hobbs' Spargus Kidney Pills, starting interest has been aroused in this second distribution.

Many men and women called to make inquiries about the free samples of this remarkable medicine to be given away tomorrow, which shows the general interest taken by both sexes in the test now being given by Dr. Hobbs of his great discovery for the cure of any kidney ailment.

The owners of this remedy must certainly have unbounded faith in it, otherwise they would not make a second test in this city. Just this thing alone should give confidence and strong hope to any sufferer from kidney trouble or backache, that he will again be a well man if he takes Hobbs' Spargus Kidney Pills.

Dr. Hobbs announces that his discovery will cure and build up the kidneys and his offer to prove it by the giving away of a free sample package to anyone who writes for or applies for it, shows the confidence he has in his Spargus Kidney Pills.

We hope that everyone suffering from any form of kidney trouble will hear of it and accept the kind and generous offer which Dr. Hobbs makes in this paper. Henry Evans, the druggist, expects and is well prepared to meet a great rush of applicants for a free sample of these pills tomorrow.

All those living in Washington or any town outside, who write to or apply at our stores, will be welcome, and not only a FREE PACKAGE

of this wonderful medicine will be given or sent to each applicant, but also Dr. Hobbs' little book, which, in a concise way, treats on kidney trouble.

This great free distribution ends tomorrow evening, at 7 o'clock, so that all who wish to avail themselves of Dr. Hobbs' liberal offer, should call tomorrow, or write, or they will miss the opportunity.

HENRY EVANS, Wholesale and Retail Druggist,
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They comprise fifty-seven separate cures for many different diseases. Whether your disease be slight or chronic, try Munyon. There are two simple ways of doing this. Step into the nearest drug store, and ask for Munyon's "Guide to Health," and follow the directions laid down for your disease, or come to Munyon's offices, 623 Thirteenth street northwest, and consult Munyon's physicians; they will charge you nothing for the fullest diagnosis, advice, and prescriptions.

Do it today—it may save your life.

MUNYON DOES CURE CATARRH.

Mrs. Lewis H. Clark, temporarily residing at 643 Q street northwest, Washington, D. C., but whose home address is Atlanta, Ga., says: "I suffered for many years with Catarrh of the bladder, and was treated by many physicians, without securing any permanent relief. Since last August I feel as well as ever, and I am able to do my usual work."

I was treated by a well-known specialist in Richmond, Va., for a month, but was no better after his treatment than before I began. I decided to come to Washington and try Munyon's Specialties. After a short course of treatment by them I find that both my sense of taste and my bladder are cured, and I have been greatly benefited generally. I desire to heartily recommend Munyon's wonderful treatment.

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PLENDED THROUGH A DRAW.

Three Occupants of a Portland Electric Car Drowned.

Portland, Oregon, April 28.—An electric street car of the City and Suburban Company, left the track yesterday and plunged through a bridge which spans the slough in East Marion street. Three people were drowned and fifteen more or less injured.

The dead, Miss Katherine Bailey, W. S. Blanchard, and a woman whose name was not given. There were thirty-four people in the car. Some of the victims swam ashore, while others waited until help arrived. After the car had been raised it was found that an axle had been broken, which is probably the cause of the accident.

Two years ago E. J. Warren, a druggist at Pleasant Brook, N. Y., bought a small supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He sums up the result as follows: "At that time the goods were unknown in this section. Today Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a household word. It is the same in hundreds of communities. Wherever the good qualities of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy become known, the people will have nothing else. For sale by Henry Evans, wholesale and retail druggist, 938 F street and Connecticut avenue and S street northwest."

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WOMEN WHISTERS' LEAGUE

First Convention at Philadelphia a Conspicuous Success.

An Address of Welcome by Mayor Warwick—Business Supplement—ed by Contests for Prizes.

Philadelphia, April 28.—The Women's Whist League of America was formally organized yesterday when over 250 delegates from the various clubs throughout the country assembled at Hotel Walton, where the first annual congress is being held. There were delegates from San Francisco, representing 600 whist players in that city, and many representatives of the clubs for away in the West and South, as well as from the New England States.

After the reception of the visitors by the committee appointed by the Philadelphia clubs, Mrs. Thomas Hollingsworth Andrews called the meeting to order, and she and Mrs. Krebs, of San Francisco, were elected as temporary chairman and secretary, respectively. Mayor Warwick was then introduced, and made a witty speech of welcome.

The Women's Whist League was formed, on a motion offered by Mrs. L. M. Hall and seconded by Mrs. J. B. Colahan. There was not a dissenting voice on this question, and afterwards business was rushed through with a celerity which was remarkable.

Mrs. Walter Peck, of Providence, R. I., asked that four committees be appointed, and her request was granted. They are the committee on by-laws, tournament, reception, and nominations. The president, Mrs. Andrews, appointed these ladies on the several committees.

By-laws—Mrs. Hawley, Mrs. Krebs, and Mrs. Charles Williams.

Tournament—Mrs. H. Tootin, Mrs. Silas W. Pettit, and Mrs. Frank Samuel.

Reception—Mrs. Morris Langsdorf, Mrs. Dymon Buzby, Mrs. J. B. Colahan, Mrs. Byron P. Moulton, Mrs. Roberts Lowrie, Mrs. Harrison Cane, Mrs. Milton C. Work, Mrs. Joseph S. Neff, Mrs. M. D. I. Lewis, Mrs. B. M. Gaskill and Mrs. Rodman Wister.

Nominations—Mrs. Leech, of Washington; Mrs. Walter Peck, Mrs. Brodt, of Boston; Mrs. Lloyd, of Toledo, and Mrs. Samuel, of Philadelphia.

The moment the business of the day was over the delegates turned their attention to the contests of the occasion. Of these there are four on the program, each of which is divided into two parts.

The first event started at 2 p. m. It is the women's pair championship, and has had the largest entry, about 150 pairs ever known in any pair contest in the history of the game of whist.

The prizes for the event are: A "The Philadelphia Trophy," presented by Mrs. John Price Wetherill. This trophy will go for a year to the club whose pair wins the event, and become the permanent property of the club that first wins it three times.

B. A set of Henth boards, presented by Gen. Henth, of Grand Rapids, to become the property of the club whose team takes second place.

C. Two handsome pins, presented by the Cavendish Club of this city, to become the property of the pair that wins this event.

D. Four attractive prizes, presented by the Trust Club, of this city, to become the property of the pair taking second and third place in this event.

The results of the afternoon contests were given out as follows:

Section A, North and South—Top score: Mrs. William Fox and Mrs. Frank Witherell, 134. Bottom score: Mrs. Peale and Mrs. Loecker, 119. Average, 127.19.

Section A, East and West—Top score: Mrs. Clinton, Mrs. Swift, 127. Bottom score: Mrs. J. E. Bonland and Mrs. J. M. Wilson, 113. And Mrs. Morrison and Mrs. Thompson, 113. Average, 120.19.

Section B, North and South—Top score: Mrs. Henry C. West and Mrs. S. S. Rayson, 135. And Mrs. W. J. Williams and Mrs. George Brown, 135. Bottom score: Mrs. Michener and Mrs. Ostrander, 118. Average, 126.11-19.

Section B, East and West—Top score: Mrs. Christine Brown and Mrs. C. B. Lloyd, 137. Bottom score: Mrs. S. S. Rayson and Mrs. Manning, 113. Average, 125.19.

Section C, North and South—Top score: Mrs. Rodman Wister and Mrs. Samuel, 126 plus 7.19. Bottom score: Mrs. Charles John and Mrs. A. C. Bliss, 110 minus 8.9. Average, 118.14-19.

Section C, East and West—Top score: Mrs. Kingsley and Mrs. J. P. Green, 123 plus 17.89. Bottom score: Mrs. Krebs and Mrs. Wincup, 108 minus 7.19. Average, 115.19.

Today the contests are continued, and tomorrow will be the Women's Progressive Four's, under the Hotwell-Mitchell system, will be played in the afternoon, and in the evening there will be a contest of the women versus men.

Nothing But Morphine Injections Give a Long Island Farmer Relief.

Glen Cove, L. I., April 28.—William Bond, of Cedar Swamp, who has been suffering with hiccoughs most of the time for the last ten weeks, is at present resting quietly at his home, the doctors having succeeded in stopping the violent paroxysms which have racked his body and taken away his strength.

Bond was first taken with this strange illness about ten weeks ago, the hiccoughs continuing for six weeks. Morphine injections were given to him repeatedly, and the drug was losing its effect, when he was suddenly left him. He commenced to rally, and for about ten days was free from them, when they suddenly returned.

His family lost all hope, but Dr. Charles J. Hall, of Glen Cove, persistently kept the morphine injections, and last Thursday was again successful in stopping the hiccoughs and giving the enfeebled sufferer relief. His condition, however, is so weak that a relapse will not surprise either the physician or Bond's family.

Bond, who was a strong, wiry man, is but a week of his former self, and since his strange sickness has been confined to his bed most of the time. As the effect of the morphine injections wears off he grows gradually weaker, and the violent fits of hiccoughing rack his body and cause him intense agony. His case has attracted much attention, and daily dozens of letters containing so-called cures are received by the family.

Physicians and medical quacks all over the country have offered to cure the sufferer for a fixed price. Many of the remedies suggested are amusing, and all are guaranteed as having cured the worst cases. Bond, who is sixty-two years old, has contracted the Lewis Valentine farm, a popular boarding place, successfully for many years, farming also on a limited scale. He has a wife and two children living, one of the latter conducting a hotel in this village.

Death of Col. Peyton.

Philadelphia, April 28.—Col. Jesse Peyton, known as the "father of centennials," died at Haddonfield, N. J., at 12:30 o'clock. He originated the Centennial Exposition of 1876, and other celebrations.

\$1.25 to Baltimore and Return. Via B. & O. R. All trains May 1 and 2. Valid for return passage until following Monday. ap28-4t

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Granville Harford, 983 C st. n.e., Employed in the Railway Mail Service, Postoffice Department: "Just two days ago, and you spoken to me in that tone I could not have heard you. I was deaf, and Dr. McCoy's treatment has restored my hearing."

"I had been deaf in my right ear for ten years. My deafness was caused by going off bathing while I was overheated, and taking cold."

"Last January I had the 'grippe.' When I recovered from this, the hearing in my left ear was gone. I was now deaf in both ears. I could not hear conversation. I could hear the sound of the voice when people spoke, but I could not comprehend. On the streets I would have to look for the wagons and cars, for I could not hear them. I had quit going to theaters. I could hear nothing."